

Sense Imagery Poem

Write a poem using Sense Imagery that describes one of the world's biomes (Grasslands, Tundra, Rainforest, Desert, Forest, Ocean). Remember that Sense (see, hear, smell, touch, taste) Imagery (use of figurative language-literary devices to SHOW and not tell) will give the reader a picture of what you are talking about. Nowhere in your poem should the biome be outwardly named, it needs to be described and shown to the reader.

POEM SHOULD BE 5 STANZAS LONG
ONE STANZA SHOULD BE 4 LINES LONG
EACH STANZA SHOULD BE ABOUT A SPECIFIC SENSE
EACH STANZA NEEDS ONE TYPE OF FIGURATIVE
LANGUAGE

EXAMPLE OF SIGHT STANZA:

TUMBLING WEEDS ROLLING INTO THE DISTANT HORIZON
PRAIRIE DOGS STAND LIKE SERGEANTS IN THE MILITARY ON
ATTENTION
BISON TRAMPLE DRY GRASSES, MOVING FROM ONE LOCATION TO THE
NEXT
BROWN HUES MIXED WITH MUSTARD GREENS

EXAMPLE OF TOUCH STANZA:

ROUGH MINISCULE PEBBLES CRUNCH BELOW MY FEET
DUST PRESSES LIGHTLY AGAINST MY CHEEK
FLAT, LONG GRASSES POKE ME IN THE BACK, SLICING MY LEGS
SILKY FEELING OF THE GRAINS OF WHEAT